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- Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment (3 pages)
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SERIAL NO.: 09/698,526  
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TRANSMITTAL**

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application  
filed on or after June 8, 1995.  
See The American Inventor Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

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<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Dan Vassilovski
<i>Group Art Unit</i>	2124
<i>Examiner Name</i>	William H. Wood
<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	990301

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1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
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    - ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
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    - iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
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  - b.  Other Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment Under 37 CFR 1.181(a)
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